



# State of Bonita

Supervisor Greg Cox

September 9, 2009

# County of San Diego Budget

- The County adopted a \$5 billion budget for fiscal year 2009-2010, a 5 percent decrease from last year's budget.
- Economy and state funding raids have led to lower revenues and County budget cuts. County workforce has been reduced by 800, to about 16,000.
- Despite budget problems, The County will continue to offer superior services to public. County is finishing construction of Medical Examiner building, has begun redevelopment of County Operations Center and has opened state-of-the-art Edgemoor Hospital.



# County Funding for Bonita

The County has approved funding for a number of organizations and projects in Bonita throughout FY 08-09 including:

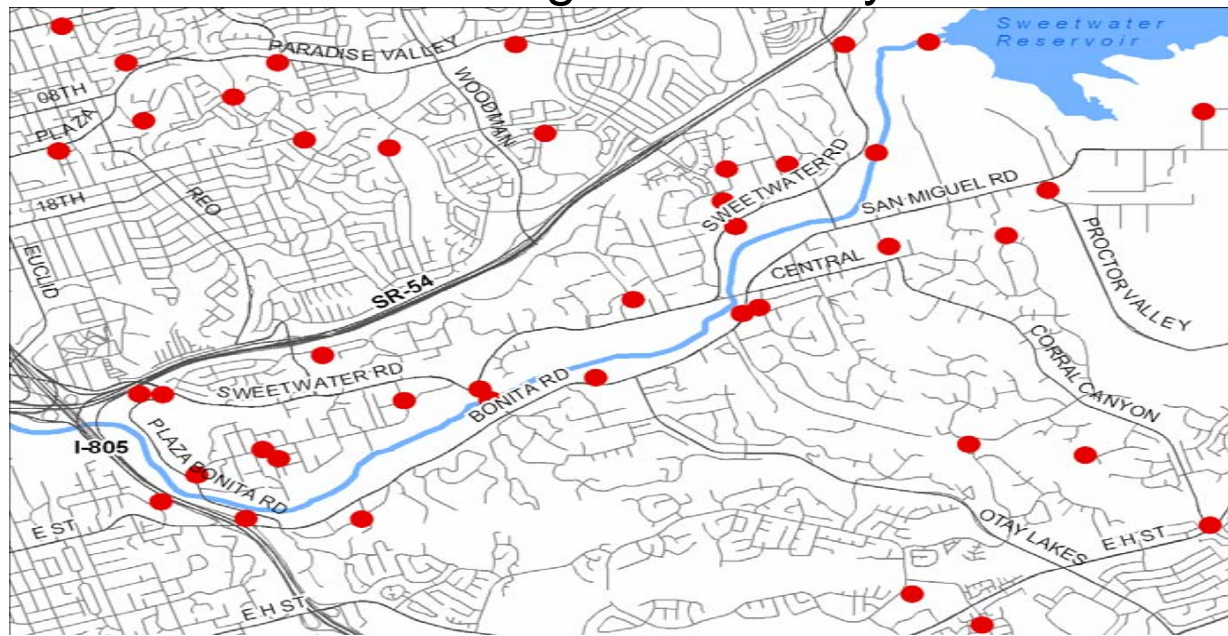
- \$100,000 to complete Ames Ranch Pathway project.
- \$10,300 for Bonita Business and Professional Association for Bonitafest, Chili Cook-off and annual tree-lighting.
- \$20,000 for Bonita Historical Society.





# Environmental Health – Working for You

## West Nile Virus - What's the Buzz? San Diego County Vector Control



- For more information visit [www.SDFightTheBite.com](http://www.SDFightTheBite.com)

### The protection of public health:

- By conducting surveillance for mosquito populations
- By controlling mosquito populations through source treatment of 42 sites with land application of larvicide
- Quick response to complaints
- Through education & outreach

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# H1N1 (Swine) Flu Update

- 21 deaths and 1,154 cases of H1N1
- For more information about H1N1 (Swine Flu) and updated news about vaccinations and precautions you can take, please go to <http://www.pandemicflu.gov/>

## What to Do About the Flu:

- Cover your cough
- Wash your hands frequently
- If you have a fever, stay home for at least 24 hours after the fever has ended
- Get a vaccine when it becomes available



# Preparedness Starts With You

- 2009 fire season: Cal Fire reports fuel is readily available and will burn hot and fast.
- Bonita-Sunnyside Fire Protection District has formed a Fire Safe Council to reduce wildland fire threats. Council is assisting the District in writing a Community Wildfire Protection Plan.
- September is Disaster Preparedness Month and the San Diego County Office of Emergency Services is urging residents to sign up their cell phones with AlertSanDiego.
- Signing up is free and easy. Go to [ReadySanDiego.org](http://ReadySanDiego.org) and click on the AlertSanDiego icon.
- To help you be better prepared, the Office of Emergency Services has prepared "Before the Threat," an educational fire prevention and preparedness DVD.



# Bonita-Sunnyside Library

Total Circulation	
FY 08-09	219,874
FY 07-08	189,583
FY 06-07	168,239



- County matched Friends of the Library donations to total \$17,333
- 451 free programs and events were presented
- 10,195 people attended library programs
- 201,294 customer visits
- 4,636 new customers

# County Animal Shelter, Bonita

- Shelter improvements underway to create an expanded, modern medical and animal care facility.
- The medical facility will have improved capabilities for medical examination, spay/neuter surgeries, x-ray, and emergency treatment.
- Expected completion to occur within 4-6 months.





# UTILITY UNDERGROUNDING PROJECTS

## **CENTRAL AVENUE PHASE 2:** **DAWSONIA ST TO CORRAL** **CANYON ROAD:**

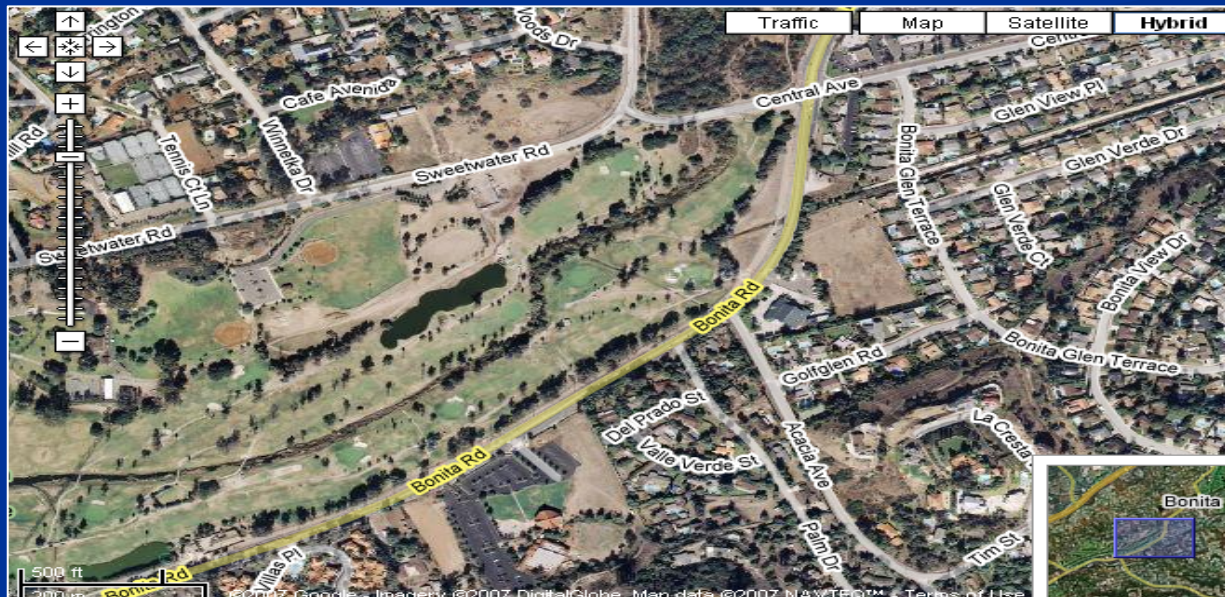
- 3/09 Construction complete
- Eliminated 29 utility poles and associated overhead electric, utility and cable television lines.



# UTILITY UNDERGROUNDING PROJECTS

## BONITA ROAD PHASE 3 BONITA VALLEY CHRISTIAN CENTER TO CENTRAL AVENUE

- 9/09: Construction begins
- 5/10: Construction complete



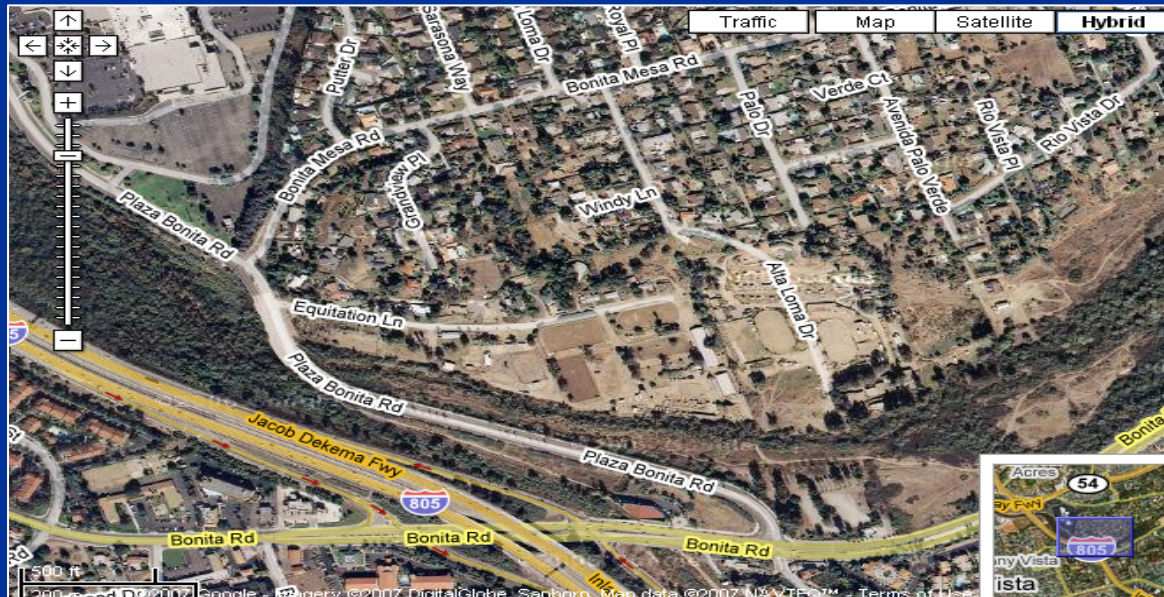


# UTILITY UNDERGROUNDING PROJECTS

## PLAZA BONITA ROAD

### BONITA ROAD TO BONITA MESA ROAD

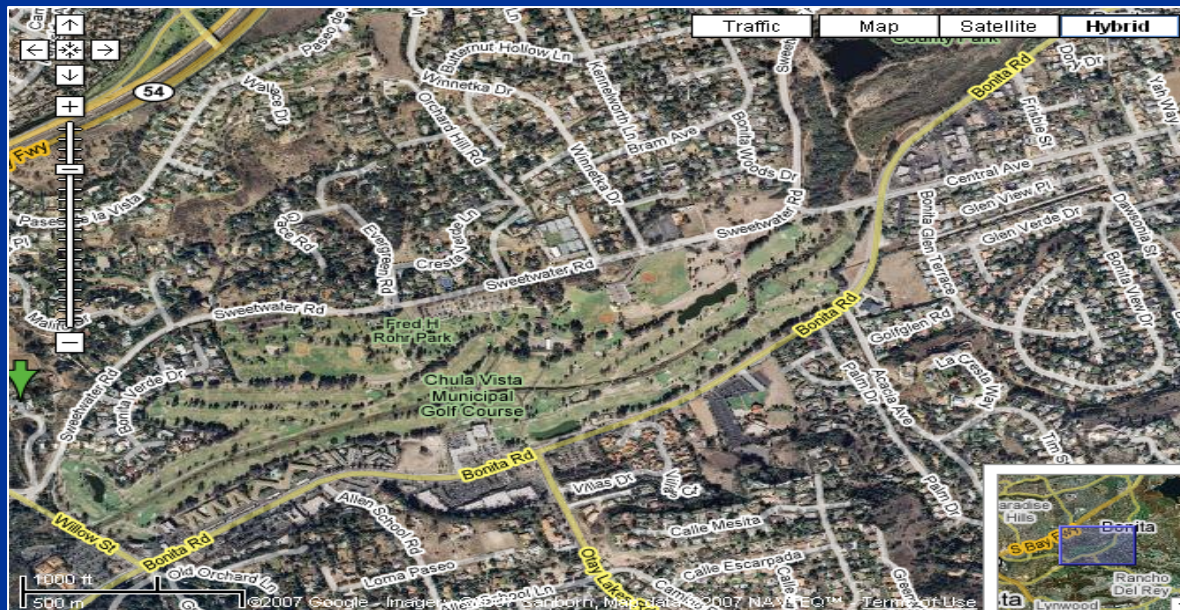
- 1/10: Construction begins
- 10/10: Construction complete



# UTILITY UNDERGROUNDING PROJECTS

## SWEETWATER ROAD PHASE 1 CENTRAL AVENUE TO WILLOW STREET

- 5/10: Anticipated start of construction
- 12/10: Anticipated completion

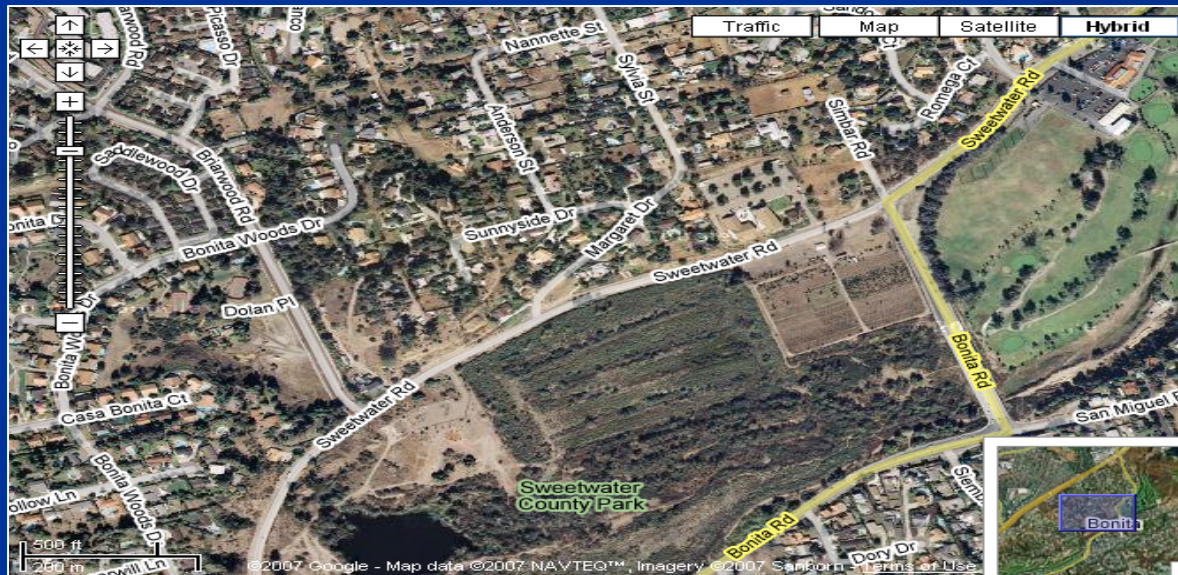




# UTILITY UNDERGROUNDING PROJECTS

## SWEETWATER ROAD PHASE 2 BRIARWOOD ROAD TO BONITA ROAD:

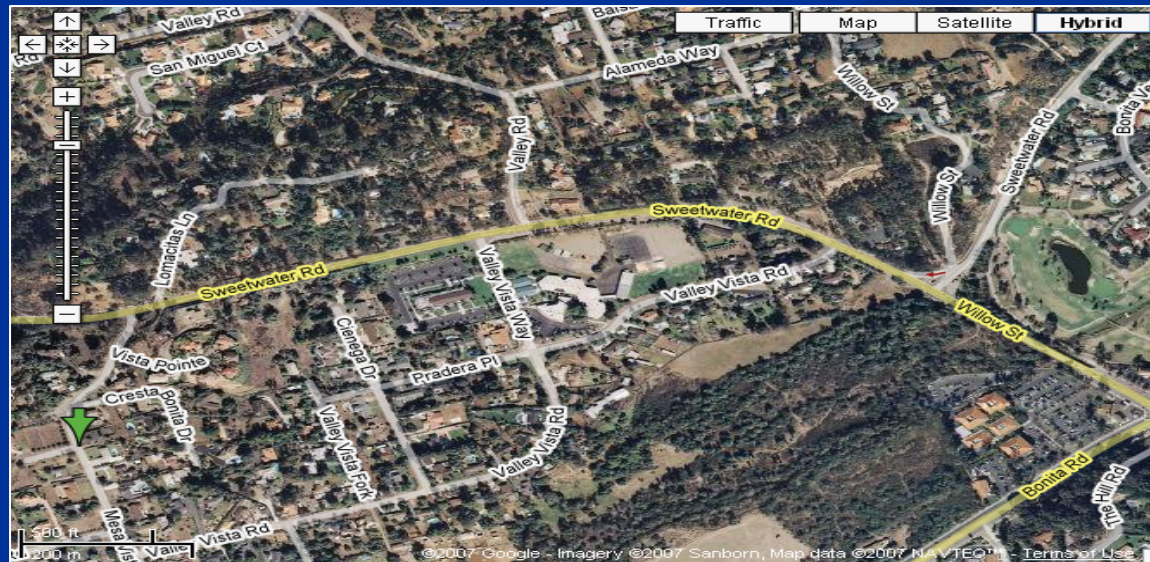
- 9/10: Anticipated start of construction
- 5/11: Anticipated completion date



# UTILITY UNDERGROUNDING PROJECTS

## SWEETWATER ROAD PHASE 3 MESA VISTA TO WILLOW STREET:

- 7/11: Anticipated start of construction
- 3/12: Anticipated completion date





# Bonita Roads

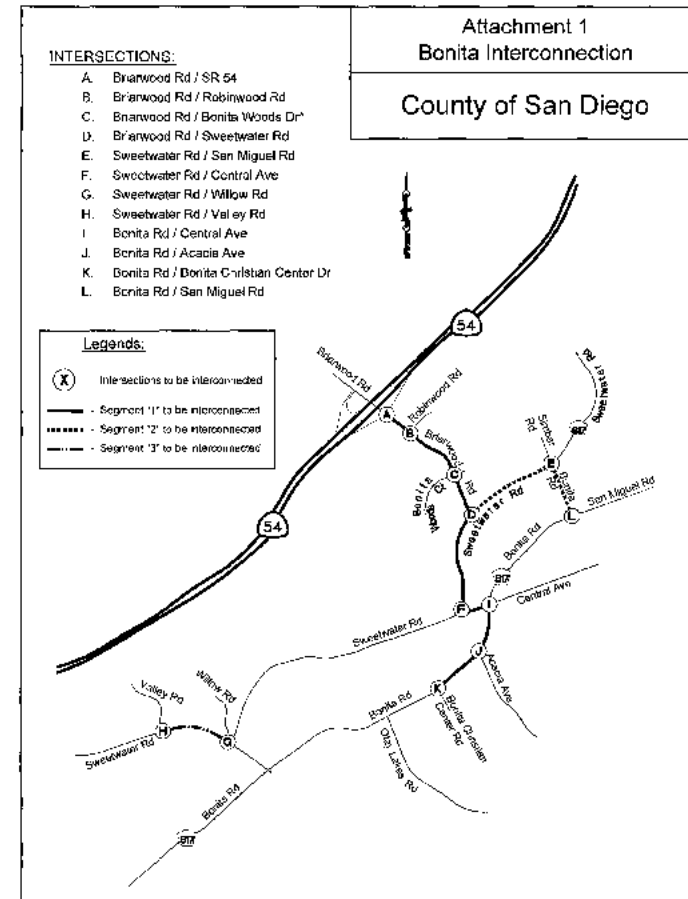
## Sweetwater Road/Briarwood Road Traffic Signal:

- A contract for Sweetwater/Briarwood was awarded for \$421,789.
- Project completed July 2009



# Bonita Traffic Signalization Timing

- The County plans to interconnect 12 traffic signals in the Bonita area with fiber optic cable.
- This project also includes the installation of an on-demand traffic light at Bonita Woods Drive and Briarwood Road.
- Project contract: \$562,979
- Project started Aug 2009
- Anticipated completion date: January 2010.





# Willow Street Bridge (City of Chula Vista Project)

- Willow Street Bridge Replacement Project: Estimated Cost \$17M
- Anticipated Start Date: August 2012
- Design will include undergrounding utilities currently on bridge and accommodating multi-use trail under bridge.



# Street resurfacing projects

- 1.53 miles of rubberized Asphalt Composite paving on San Miguel Road. Contract awarded with anticipated completion date of Spring 2010.
- Central Avenue and Briarwood Road: repairs will be high priority as funds become available within this current fiscal year.

# Safe Route to School Sidewalk Projects

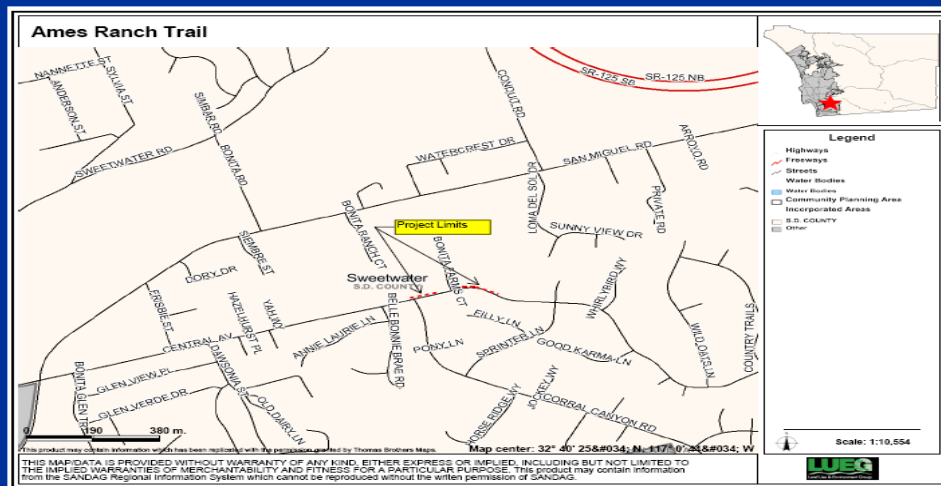
- Currently under construction and is expected to be completed by October 2009.



- Central Avenue
- San Miguel Road/Sunnyside School

# Ames Ranch Pathway

- Currently under construction
- Anticipated completion date: October 2009





# To Report a Pothole

*Call Toll Free* 1-877-684-8000

For additional information, visit the Department of Public Works at:

<http://www.sdcountry.ca.gov/dpw/roads>

# Sweetwater Regional Park

## Work Crew Activity

- Six different homeless camps were removed. Total of 13 tons of trash removed.
- Rangers working with cooperating agencies planted 75 trees at Summit campground and removed 35 dead/fallen trees.

## Community Clean Up Efforts

- California Coastal Clean Up day 9/15/08: Approx. 45 people in attendance and 500 lbs of trash picked up.
- I Love A Clean San Diego Creek-to Bay Clean-up: Approx. 40 in attendance and 600 lbs of trash picked.

## Next Cleanup Event

- Coastal Cleanup Day, Saturday, Sept. 19, Sweetwater Regional Park
- To volunteer, visit [www.cleanupday.org](http://www.cleanupday.org)



# Sweetwater Campground Expansion:

- Project includes 83 full hook-RV campsites.
- Phase I construction to begin in Fall 2009 and approximately take 15 months.



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SWEETWATER SUMMIT CAMPGROUND

SITE PLAN

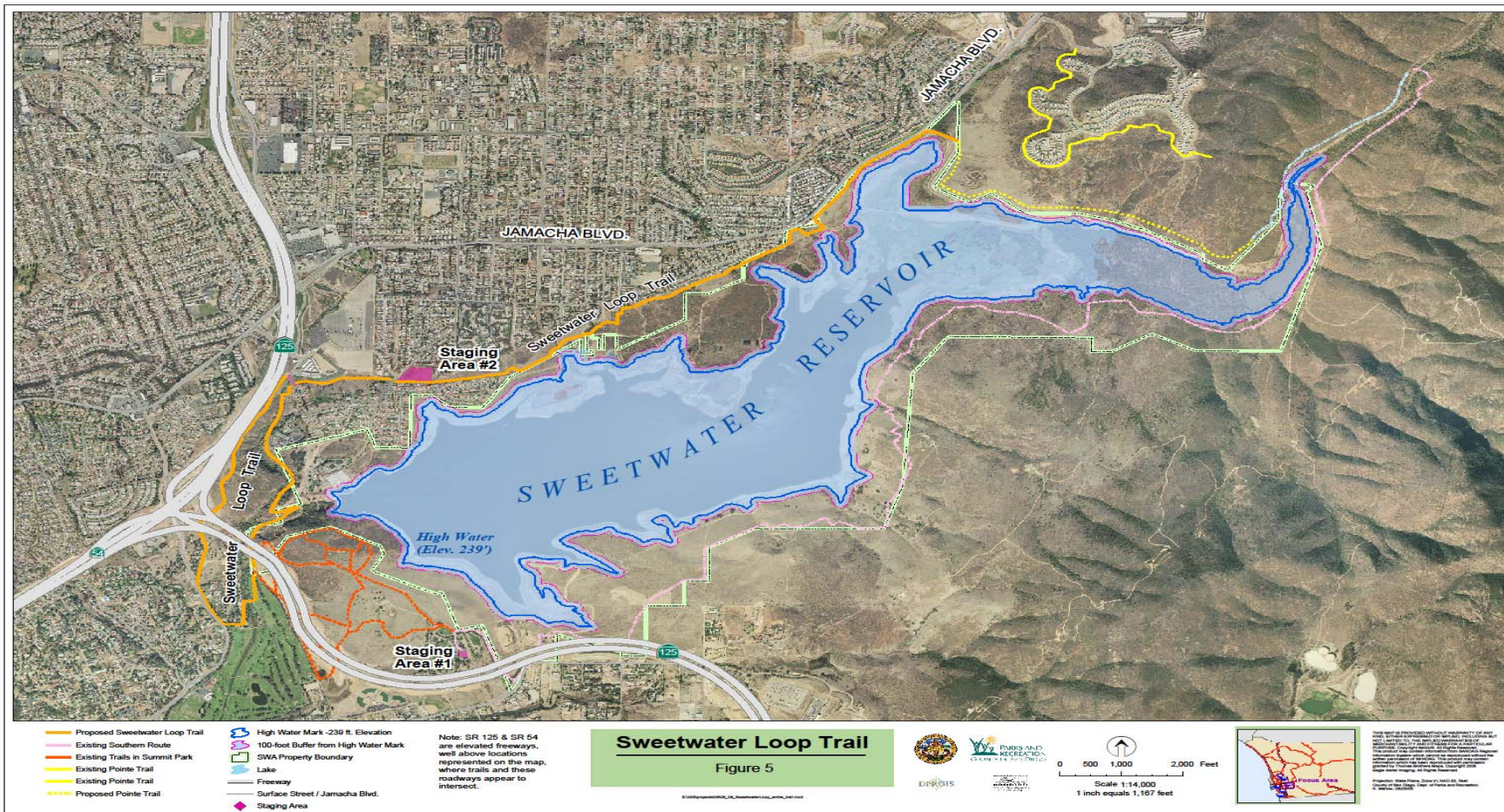


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# Sweetwater Loop Trail

- Currently working with the California State Health Department and the Sweetwater Authority to get approval for a section of the Loop Trail's northern alignment. Expecting a decision by mid-September '09.

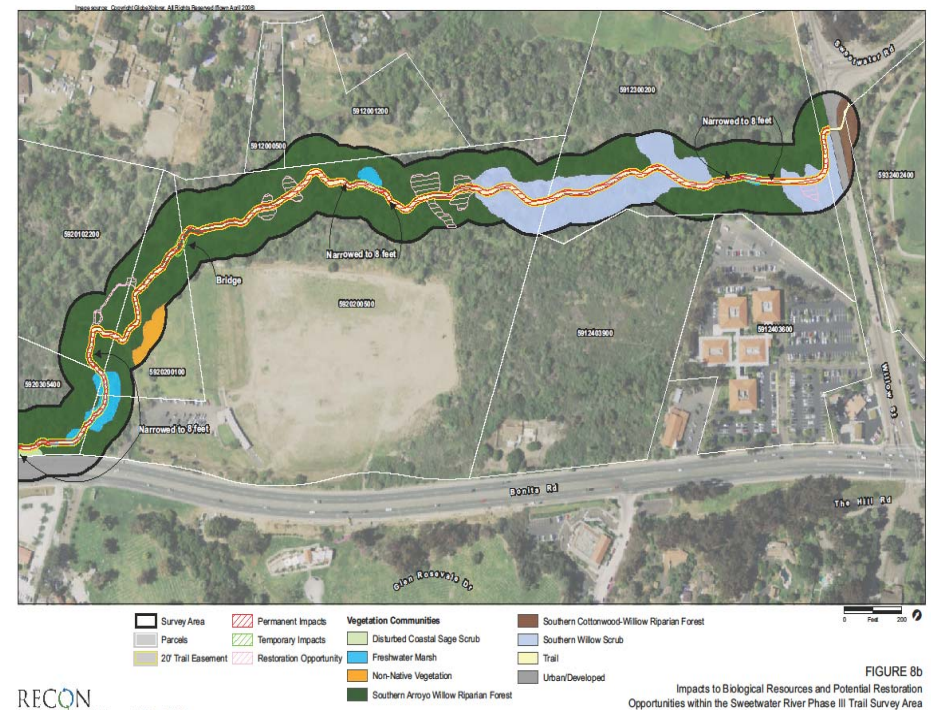
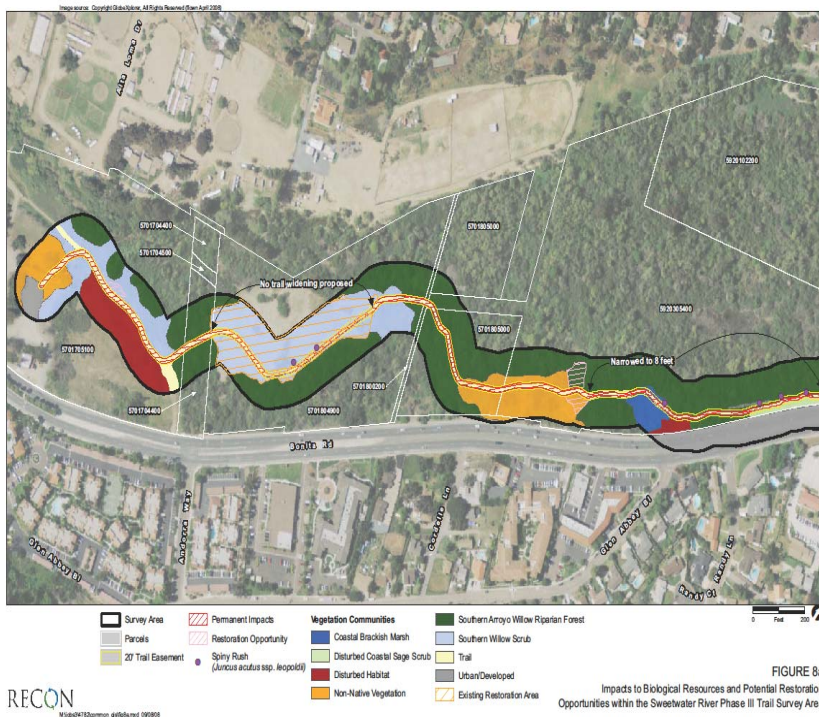




# Sweetwater Trail Projects

## Sweetwater River Multi-use Trail Section III:

- Mitigated Negative Declaration was completed and recorded June 12<sup>th</sup> 2009.
- Project is currently on hold until further funding is identified.



## Sweetwater River Multi-Use Trail Bridge:

- Caltrans is still working on getting the necessary environment permits.
- SBX is anticipating that final environmental clearance will be given in September
- Construction to begin by end of the month.





# Regional Bike Path Projects

## Sweetwater Bikeway:

- SANDAG has provided \$130,000 for design and environmental of the Bikeway.
- Environmental and Design work estimated to be completed by April 2010
- Estimated construction cost \$1.2 million; unfunded at this time.





# Regional Bike Path Projects

## Bayshore Bikeway

- More than half of bikeway is fully complete
- New segment opened in April 2009
- Focus is now on the East side of the Bay from Main St to H St in Chula Vista.





# Congrats to our Local Champions!







# State of Bonita 2009

The County of San Diego will continue to  
serve the residents of Bonita as the  
community moves forward.

*Overall, the state of Bonita is great!*